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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - AIR FRANCE TORONTO-LOS ANGELES SERVICE

REF: (A) STATE 114054; (B) PARIS 14707

1. DURING COURSE OF MAY 17 BILLER-CUVILLIER CONVERSATION REPORTED REF A, BILLER SAID THAT HE EXPECTED CAB TO ACT ON AF'S TORONTO-LOS ANGELES APPLICATION POSSIBLY ON MAY 18 AND ALMOST CERTAINLY BY MAY 20. BILLER INDICATED THAT HIS OPINION WAS THAT CAB ACTION WOULD BE FAVORABLE.

2. AS RESULT OF NO OTHER CAUSE THAN USUAL PACE OF CAB PROCEDURES, CAB STAFF DID NOT PRESENT TORONTO-LOS ANGELES ISSUE TO BOARD MEMBERS UNTIL MAY 20, AND BOARD MEMBER ACTION IS NOT LIKELY UNTIL EARLY DURING WEEK OF MAY 23.

3. EMBASSY SHOULD CALL CUVILLIER AND, REFERRING TO CONVER-
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SATION WITH BILLER, EXPLAIN THAT ABSENCE FROM WASHINGTON OF SEVERAL BOARD MEMBERS HAS CAUSED SLIGHT DELAY IN CAB ACTION, WHICH IS NOW LIKELY NEXT WEEK. EMBASSY SHOULD EXPRESS HOPE THAT THIS SLIGHT SLIPPAGE WILL NOT RESULT IN ANY CHANGE IN CUVILLIER'S OPTIMISTIC FORECAST OF GOF ACTION ON NAL AUTHORITY FOR MIAMI-PARIS. CHRISTOPHER

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